

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Hayfork Creek Domestic Diversion Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-TRI-20464-R1)

Project Location (include county): The project is located on Hayfork Creek in Trinity County, CA; T31N, R12W, section 9, Humboldt Base and Meridian, Hayfork U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) quadrangle, Trinity County Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 016-210-17-00, 2691 Hyampom Road, Hayfork.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-TRI-20464-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Michael Curran.

The proposed project is limited to the installation, ongoing use, and maintenance of a stream diversion on Hayfork Creek for the purpose of domestic use. The diversion intake will be appropriately screened to prevent intake of aquatic organisms and the maximum instantaneous rate of diversion will be 10 gallons per minute (GPM) with a total maximum cumulative diversion rate of 200 gallons per day.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Michael Curran

Exempt Status:

Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption. Type – **Class 1**; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301, Operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.

Reasons why project is exempt: The proposed project consists of the continued use of an existing diversion facility with no expansion of use.

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